XM Satellite radio (and the like) are US born and financially very lucrative. Beyond the advantages of a very real Champion of US Technology, stock advantiges; beyond the general progression of something very real/new/powerful, the "Issue" of "Free Speech" is once again, at hand. I am a Magna Cum Laude Mass Media Communications graduate of 2000. I am almost 46 years old and my Mother is a DAR (registered 'Daughters of the American Revolution). She is also a professional musician, at 84 years old, she plays the pipe organ. My point is that Satellite Radio is a very, VERY good thing; and which (extremely good music, etc.) has really nothing to do with the ISSUE at hand, which is free enterprise, not free speech. The POLITICIAN who dare declare Weather Information should not be allowed, under the Headline of "Free Speech," will be the RED FLAG of IDIOTS!

In Appreciation for Those Serving Our Country, Carolyn Nelson